S. 2230

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IN THE SENATE OF THE UNITED STATES

March 24, 2004

Ms. Snowe introduced the following bill; which was read twice and referred to the Committee on Finance

A BILL

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- 1 Be it enacted by the Senate and House of Representa-
- 2 tives of the United States of America in Congress assembled,
- 3 SECTION 1. SHORT TITLE.
- 4 This Act may be cited as the "Workers Equity Act".
- 5 SEC. 2. SHIFTS IN PRODUCTION.
- 6 (a) IN GENERAL.—Section 222(a)(2)(B)(ii)(II) of
- 7 the Trade Act of 1974 (19 U.S.C. 2272(a)(2)(B)(ii)(II))
- 8 is amended by inserting before the semicolon the following:

- 1 "or a country to which the United States has extended
- 2 permanent normal trade relations".
- 3 (b) Effective Date.—The amendment made by

4 this section shall take effect on October 1, 2004.

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